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# Act of the Committee of Eſtates

## *For Contriving the ſeverall Troupes appointed to come out of the Shires into Regiments.*

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THe Committee of Eſtates conſidering that for the preſent ſervice of the Countrey there are divers Troupes appointed to be levied, and brought forth of the ſeverall Sheriffdomes of this Kingdome, which are not as yet formed in Regiments, nor deſigned for any Colonells to have charge over them: Therefore, and for the better ordering and making of the ſaids Troupes ſerviceable, The Committee of Eſtates hath ordained them to be divided in ſeven Regiments, each Regiment conſiſting of eight Troupes, and each Troupe of ſixtie Troupers, beſides the Officers.

And of the ſaids Regiments, one to be commanded by the Lord Generall his Excellencie: for the making up whereof, two Troupes to be brought out of *Ireland*, *viz.* the Troupes of Major *Baunatine* and Sir *Robert Adair*: two Troupes to be leavied, and leavie Money to be granted for that end: As alſo the twelve ſcore Horſe appointed to come out of the Sheriffdome of *Roxburgh*, *Selkirk* and *Peeblis*, which will make up foure Troupes.

One to be commanded by Generall Major *Leſlie*, to conſiſt of the three Troupes already leavied: The Laird of *Palmais* Troope appointed to come out of the Sheriffdome of *Stirling*, and foure Troups to be leavied, and leavie money to be granted.

One to be commanded by the Earle of *Eglintoun*, and to conſiſt of the twelve ſcore horſe appointed to come out of the Sheriffdome of *Air* and *Renfrew*, which will make up four Troupes: The 200 appointed to come out of the Sheriffdome of *Lanerick*, which will make up three Troupes and 20 horſe, and 40 horſe to be levied.

One to be commanded by the Earle of *Dalhouſie*, and to conſiſt of the ſix ſcore appointed to come out of the Sherifdome of *Berwick*, which will make two Troupes; The ſix ſcore to come out of the Sherifdome of *Hadintoun* to make up other two: The ſix ſcore appointed to come out of the Sherifdome of *Edinburgh*, to make up other two; One of the Troupes appointed to come out of the Sheriffdom of *Stirling*, *viz.* That whereof Sir *William Bruce* is Root-maſter, and the Troupe appointed to come out of the Sherifdome of *Lithgow*.

One to be commanded by the Lord *Gordon*, and to conſiſt of the twelve ſcore horſe, appointed to come out of *Aberdene* and *Bamf*, which will make up four Troups: The ſix ſcore appointed to come out of *Elgin*, *Narne*, and *Inner-neſſe*, on this ſide of the *Neſſe*, which will make up two: And (in regard there are ſeven ſcore appointed to come out of the Sherifdome of *Forfar*) of ſix ſcore thereof which will make up two Troupes.

One to be commanded by the Lord *Kirkudbright*, and to conſiſt of the ſix ſcore appointed to come out of *Wigtoun* and *Kirkudbright*: The ſix ſcore appointed to come out of *Dumfreis*, and the twelve ſcore appointed to come out of *Perthe*, all which will make eight Troupes.

One to be commanded by the Lord *Balcarres*, and to conſiſt of the twelve ſcore appointed to come out of *Fyfe*: of two Troupes to be levied, the two hundred horſe appointed to come out of *Kinkardin*, and the Earle *Marſhalls* part of *Aberdene*, and the twenty horſe out of *Forfar*, before reſerved from the Lord *Gordon*.

*Arch. Primeroſe* Cler. Com.